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From the Camp at Scatin, September 17. N. S.

HIS Royal Highneſs the Duke of Savoy and Prince Eugene arriv'd at this Camp on the 14th Inſtant, and the Troops have follow'd in their appointed Time and Order: The laſt Body which was expected is compos'd of Two German Brigades, commanded by the Duke of Wirtemberg, and join'd us Yeſterday. This Morning a great Detachment from our Army began their March towards Suſa; and to Morrow Prince Eugene will take the ſame Way at the Head of the other Troops, of which the Army is to be form'd, that is deſign'd for the Siege of that Place. His Royal Highneſs will alſo decamp from hence to Morrow with the other part of the Forces, in order to attack La Perouſe and the Valley of St. Martin. The Hereditary Prince of Heſſe-Caſſel, with ſeveral other Officers of Diſtinction, who had been ſome Days at Turin, are return'd to their reſpective Commands. We hear, that the French have no conſiderable Body of Forces in Dauphiné; and that the Inhabitants of thoſe Parts are under no manner of Apprehenſion of any further Enterprize his Royal Highneſs may engage in this Campagne, having receiv'd ſo many repeated Informations, from their publick Intelligence, That the Duke of Savoy had loſt half his Army in the late Expedition on Provence.

Berlin, October 1. Letters from Poland inform us, That the Czar has made a late Propoſal to the King of Sweden, in which he offers to reſtore all that he has taken during the War, and make Reparation for the Damage which has been ſuſtain'd in it: But his Swediſh Majeſty would not incline to an Accommodation. Prince Ragotzi has ſignified to the King of Sweden, That the Czar and the Poliſh Nation were diſpos'd to chuſe him King of Poland, and deſir'd his Majeſty's Concurrence: But the King of Sweden anſwer'd, That the Poles had already a King, whom he was reſolv'd to maintain againſt all Pretenders whatſoever. On Thurſday laſt Count Zobor paſs'd through this City on his Way to Vienna. His Swediſh Majeſty ſet him at Liberty without demanding of him any Engagement for his future Behaviour, only admoniſhing him, That the Emperor had anſwer'd for his Conduct hereafter. Letters from Warſaw of the 23d of September adviſe, That the General of the Crown return'd on the 16th to the Army, accompanied by Count Berezini and other Deputies from Hungary. Prince Menzikoff takes frequent Reviews of the Troops at Blonie. Monſieur Goltz, who was formerly Governor of Dantzick, is made Vice-Marſhal by his Czariſh Majeſty, and has follow'd that Prince into Lithuania. Monſieur Relinski is commanded to join the main Army with his Detachment from Pruſſia. Letters of the 16th from Poſen ſay, That the advanc'd Guard of King Stanillaus was ſeen within 5 Miles of Liſſa. The Plague continues to rage in Cracovia.

Paris, October 3. Monſieur de Chamarante, Governor of Suſa, has ſent an Expreſs to the Court with Advice, That the Army of the Duke of Savoy had ſat down before that Place, and had already taken the Town, after having made themſelves Maſters of ſeveral of the Eminences which command it. At the departure of the Courier, the Enemy was making the neceſſary Diſpoſitions for attacking the Caſtle in Form. There are in it Three Battalions, who retired upon the Loſs of the Town, and are reſolv'd to defend it to the laſt Extremity. The Marſhal de Teſſé lay within Three Leagues of that Place, and was gathering together a Body of Troops for its Succour. We have not for ſome time receiv'd any Account of the Siege of Lerida; but, by Letters lately arriv'd from Spain, we hear, That the opening of the Trenches, which had been fix'd to the 15th of the laſt Month, was deferr'd to the 25th, by reaſon of the ſwelling of the Segra, which had overflow'd its Banks, and bore away the Bridges that had been laid over it. The ſame Letters add, That Count Egmont, who commanded the Horſe under the Duke of Orleans, was dead in the Camp, and very much regretted by the whole Army. He was deſcended in a right Line from the Sovereign Dukes of Gelderland, and dy'd without Iſſue. A Courier is lately arriv'd from the Marſhal de Villars, with Advices which are kept very ſecret: But by Letters from Stratsbourg we are inform'd, That a Detachment from the Army of the Elector of Hanover had ſurpris'd a Body of our Cavalry, commanded by Lieutenant-General Vivans. The King has lately made a great Promotion of Officers for the Sea Service. The Prince of Conti, finding that his Letter to the Canton of Berne could not engage the Government of that Place in his Intereſt ſince his retiring from Neufchatel, has ſent a Letter to the Four Catholick Cantons allied to that State, in which he deſires them not to acknowledge the Sovereign who ſhall be elected by their Tribunal; and inſinuates, That a Time might come when he ſhould be able to aſſert his Right in a more powerful manner.

Bruſſels, October 5. By Letters from Madrid of the 19th we hear, That Don Joſeph Chaves, a Brigadier-General, having laid Siege to the Caſtle of Alcoy in the Kingdom of Valencia, the Gariſon, after a brave Defence, had capitulated to ſurrender the Place, unleſs they were reliev'd in Three Days: But that a Party of 400 Miquelets, who were detach'd from Ali-